

NCAA FOOTBALL

THE OFFICIAL 1995 COLLEGE FOOTBALL RECORDS BOOK

INDIVIDUAL & TEAM RECORDS IN ALL DIVISIONS •

Includes statistical
trends, poll results and
all-time team records

BOWL-GAME RECORDS & RESULTS •

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and individual

1994 RESULTS & 1995 SCHEDULES •

All teams in every
division



BY VICTORIES

(Minimum 33 Victories)

Team	Wins	Team	Wins
Florida St.	54	Ohio St.	42
Alabama	52	North Carolina	41
Miami (Fla.)	52	North Carolina St.	41
Nebraska	51	Fresno St.	40
Texas A&M	51	Syracuse	40
Florida	49	Bowling Green	39
Penn St.	49	Virginia	39
Nevada*	48	Auburn	38
Colorado	47	Clemson	38
Notre Dame	46	Oklahoma	37
Washington	45	Air Force	36
Michigan	44	Northeast La.**	36
Tennessee	44	Arlington	35
Brigham Young	42	Kansas St.	35

†Ties counted as half win and half loss. *Joined IAA in 1992. **Joined IAA in 1994.

Winningest Teams by Decade

(By Percentage, Bowls and Playoffs Included, Unless Noted)

1980-89

Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†	Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†
1	Nebraska	103-20-0	.837	11	Alabama	85-32-2	.723
2	Miami (Fla.)	98-20-0	.831	12	Arkansas	85-32-2	.723
3	Brigham Young	102-26-0	.797	13	UCLA	81-30-6	.718
4	Oklahoma	91-25-2	.780	14	Washington	83-33-1	.714
5	Clemson	86-25-4	.765	15	Fresno St.	80-34-1	.700
6	Penn St.	89-27-2	.763	16	Ohio St.	82-35-2	.697
7	Georgia	88-27-4	.756	17	Southern Meth.	63-28-1	.690
8	Florida St.	87-28-3	.750	18	Southern Cal.	78-33-3	.685
9	Michigan	89-29-2	.750	19	Florida	76-37-3	.668
10	Auburn	86-31-1	.733	20	Arizona St.	73-36-4	.664

1970-79

Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†	Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†
1	Oklahoma	102-13-3	.877	11	Arizona St.	90-28-1	.758
2	Alabama	103-16-1	.863	12	Texas	87-21-2	.744
3	Michigan	96-16-3	.848	13	San Diego St.	82-24-2	.734
4	Tennessee St.*	85-17-2	.827	14	Miami (Ohio)	80-25-2	.734
5	Nebraska	98-20-4	.820	15	Central Mich.†	80-27-3	.734
6	Penn St.	96-22-0	.814	16	Arkansas	79-21-3	.727
7	Ohio St.	91-20-3	.811	17	Houston	80-23-2	.727
8	Notre Dame	91-22-0	.805	18	Louisiana Tech.†	77-34-2	.727
9	Southern Cal.	93-21-5	.803	19	Michigan St.*	75-33-4	.727
10	Texas	88-26-1	.770	20	Dartmouth†	80-27-1	.727

1960-69

(By Percentage, Bowls and Playoffs Not Included)

Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†	Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†
1	Alabama	85-12-3	.865	11	Memphis	70-25-1	.725
2	Texas	80-18-2	.810	12	Arizona St.	72-26-1	.725
3	Arkansas	80-19-1	.805	13	LSU	70-25-3	.725
4	Mississippi	72-20-6	.765	14	Nebraska	72-27-1	.725
5	Bowling Green	71-22-2	.758	15	Wyoming	69-26-4	.711
6	Dartmouth†	68-22-0	.756	16	Penn State†	64-26-0	.711
7	Ohio St.	67-21-2	.756	17	Utah St.	68-29-3	.699
8	Missouri	72-22-6	.750	18	Purdue	64-28-3	.687
9	Southern Cal.	73-23-4	.750	19	Syracuse	68-30-4	.687
10	Penn St.	73-26-0	.737	20	Florida	66-30-4	.687

1950-59

Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†	Rank	Team	W-L-T	Pct.†
1	Oklahoma	93-10-2	.895	11	Syracuse	62-29-2	.677
2	Mississippi	80-21-3	.778	12	Army	58-27-3	.677
3	Michigan St.	70-21-1	.766	13	Cincinnati	64-30-7	.677
4	Princeton†	67-22-1	.750	14	Notre Dame	64-31-4	.677
5	Georgia Tech	79-26-6	.739	15	Clemson	64-32-5	.677
6	UCLA	68-26-3	.716	16	Wisconsin	57-28-7	.677
7	Ohio St.	63-24-5	.712	17	Colorado	62-33-6	.677
8	Tennessee	71-31-4	.692	18	Duke	62-33-9	.677
9	Penn St.	62-28-4	.681	19	Navy	55-30-8	.677
10	Maryland	67-31-3	.678	20	Yale†	54-30-6	.677

†Ties computed as half win and half loss. *In IAA less than 8 years, now a member of IAA. †Now a member of IAA, IAA member of IAA less than 8 years.

POLL SYSTEMS HISTORY

Alderson System (1994) a mathematical rating system based strictly on a point value system reflecting competition as well as win-loss record. Developed by Bob Alderson of Midvale, Oklahoma.

Associated Press (1936-present), the first major nationwide poll for ranking college football teams was voted on by sportswriters and broadcasters. It continues to this day and is probably the most well-known and widely circulated among all of history's polls. The Associated Press annual national champions were awarded the Williams Trophy and the Reverend J. Hugh O'Donnell Trophy. In 1947, Notre Dame retired the Williams Trophy (named after Henry L. Williams, Minnesota coach, and sponsored by the M Club of Minnesota). In 1956, Oklahoma retired the O'Donnell Trophy (named for Notre Dame's president and sponsored by Notre Dame alumni). Beginning with the 1957 season, the award was known as the AP Trophy, and since 1983 the award has been known as the Paul "Bear" Bryant Trophy.

Berryman (QPRS) (1940-present), a mathematical rating system based on a quality point rating formula developed by Clyde P. Berryman of Washington, D.C.

Billingsley Report (1960-present), a mathematical rating system developed by Richard Billingsley of Murrells, Tennessee.

Boand System (1930-60), known as the Azzi System, was developed by William Boand of Tucson, Arizona. He moved to Chicago in 1932. Appeared in many newspapers as well as Illustrated Football Annual (1932-42) and weekly in Football News (1942-64, 1951-60). Predicted national champions from 1919-29.

College Football Researchers Association (1982-92), founded by Anthony Cusker of Reader, North Dakota, and Robert Kirtin of Spokane, Washington. Announced its champion in its monthly bulletin and No. 1 team determined by top 10 vote of membership on a point system. Predicted national champions from 1919-81, conducted on a poll by Harry Carson Frye.

DeVold System (1945-present), a mathematical rating system developed by Harry DeVold from Minneapolis, Minnesota, a former football player at Cornell. He eventually settled in the Detroit, Michigan, area and worked in the real estate business. The ratings have appeared in The Football News since 1962. Predicted national champions from 1939-44.

Dickinson System (1926-40), a mathematical point system devised by Frank Dickinson, a professor of economics at Illinois. The annual Dickinson ratings were emblematic of the national championship and the basis for awarding the Eastern National Trophy and the Knute K. Rockne Interscholastic Memorial Trophy. Notre Dame gained permanent possession of the Rockne Trophy (named for Jack F. Rockne, a Chicago clothing manufacturer) after its third victory in 1930. Minnesota retired the Rockne Trophy (named in honor of the famous Notre Dame coach) after winning it for a third time in 1940.

Dunkel System (1929-present), a power index system devised by Dick Dunkel Sr. (1929-71); from 1972 by Dick Dunkel Jr.

FACT (1968-present), a computerized mathematical ranking system developed by David Hoffman of Hawthorne, California. FACT is the Foundation for the Analysis of Competitions and Tournaments, which began selecting a national champion in 1968.

Football News (1958-present), weekly poll of its poll writers has named a national champion since 1958.

Football Writers Association of America (1954-present), the No. 1 team of the year is determined by a five-person panel representing the nation's football writers. The national championship team named receives the Grantland Rice Award.

Helms Athletic Foundation (1941-82), originally known by the name from 1935-49 and established by the founding sponsor, Paul H. Helms, Los Angeles sportsman and philanthropist. After Helms' death in 1957, United Savings & Loan Association became its benefactor during 1970-72. A merger of United Savings and Citizen Savings was completed in 1973, and the Athletic Foundation became known as Citizens Savings Athletic Foundation. In 1982, First Interstate Bank assumed sponsorship for its final rankings. In 1941, Bill Schroeder, managing director of the Helms Athletic Foundation, retroactively selected

the national football champions for the period beginning in 1883 (the first year of a scoring system) through 1940. Thereafter, Schroeder, who died in 1988, then chose, with the assistance of a Hall Board, the annual national champion after the bowl games.

Houlgate System (1927-58), a mathematical rating system developed by Duke Houlgate of Los Angeles, California. His ratings were syndicated in newspapers and published in Illustrated Football and the Football Thesaurus (1946-58).

Linkenhous (1934-84), a difference-by-score formula developed by Edward E. Linkenhous, a professor of chemical engineering at Vanderbilt, and his brother, Frank.

Matthews Grid Ratings (1966-present), a mathematical rating system developed by college mathematics professor Herman Matthews of Middleboro, Kentucky. Has appeared in newspapers and The Football News.

National Championship Foundation (1980-present), established by Mike Riter of Germantown, New York. Issues annual report. Predicted national champions from 1869-1979.

National Football Foundation (1959-1990), the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame named its first national champion in 1959. Headquartered in Larchmont, New York, the present National Football Foundation was established in 1947 to promote amateur athletics in America. The national champion was awarded the MacArthur Bowl from 1959-90. In 1991 and 1992, the NFF/HOF joined with UPI to award the MacArthur Bowl, and in 1993 the NFF/HOF joined with USA Today to award the MacArthur Bowl presented by Sears.

New York Times (1979-present), a mathematical rating system introduced by this major newspaper.

Parke Davis (1933), a noted college football historian, Parke H. Davis, went back and named the championship teams from 1869 through the 1932 season. He also named a national champion at the conclusion of the 1933 season. Interestingly, the years 1869-75 were identified by Davis as the Pioneer Period; the years 1876-93 were called the Period of the American Intercollegiate Football Association, and the years 1894-1933 were referred to as the Period of Rules Committees and Conferences.

Poling System (1935-84), a mathematical rating system for college football teams developed by Richard Poling from Mansfield, Ohio, a former football player at Ohio Wesleyan. Poling's football ratings were published annually in the Football Review Supplement and in various newspapers. Predicted national champions from 1924-34.

Sagorin Ratings (1936-present), a mathematical rating system developed by Jeff Sagorin of Bloomington, Indiana, a 1970 MIT mathematics graduate. Runs annually in USA Today newspaper.

Sporting News (1975-present), voted on annually by the staff of this St. Louis-based nationally circulated sports publication.

Sports Illustrated (1981-present), voted on annually by a committee of writers representing various regions of the country for this nationally circulated sports magazine.

United Press International (1950-90, 1993-94), in 1950, the United Press news service began its poll of football coaches (replaced on coaches' poll after 1990 season). When the United Press merged with the International News Service in 1958, it became known as United Press International. The weekly UPI rankings were featured in newspapers and on radio and television nationwide. UPI and the National Football Foundation formed a coalition for 1991 and 1992 to name the MacArthur Bowl national champion. Returned to single poll in 1994.

USA Today/Cable News Network (1982-present), introduced a weekly poll of sportswriters in 1982 and ranked the top 25 teams in the nation with a point system. The poll results are featured in USA Today, a national newspaper, and on the Cable News Network, a national cable television network. Took over as the coaches' poll in 1991. USA Today also formed a coalition with the National Football Foundation in 1993 to name the MacArthur Bowl national champion.

Williamson System (1932-63), a power rating system chosen by Paul Williamson of New Orleans,

Louisiana, a geologist and member of the Sugar Bowl committee.

Thanks from the NCAA Statistics Service to Robert A. Roark of Dearborn, Michigan, who researched much of the former polls' history.

National Poll Champions

Note: * indicates selectors that chose multiple schools. The national champion was selected before bowl games as follows: AP (1936-64 and 1966-67); UPI (1950-73); FWAA (1954); NFF/HOF (1959-70). In all other late-trendy polls, champions were selected after bowl games.

1869

Princeton: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.
Rutgers: Parke Davis*

1870

Princeton: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.

1871

No national champions selected.

1872

Princeton: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.
Yale: Parke Davis*

1873

Princeton: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.

1874

Harvard: Parke Davis*
Princeton: Parke Davis*
Yale: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1875

Colgate: Parke Davis*
Harvard: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Yale: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1876

Yale: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.

1877

Princeton: Parke Davis*
Yale: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1878

Princeton: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.

1879

Princeton: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Yale: Parke Davis*

1880

Princeton: National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*
Yale: National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*

1881

Princeton: Parke Davis*
Yale: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1882

Yale: National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.

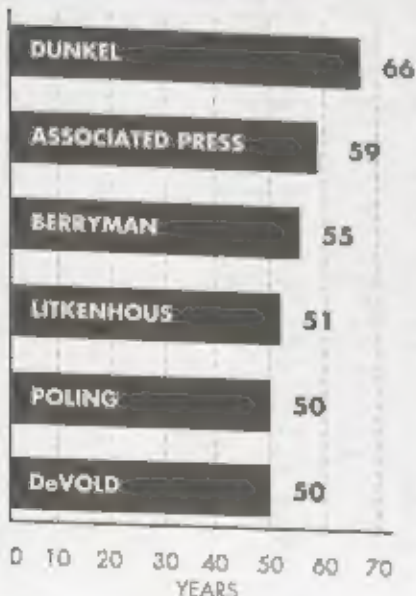
1883

Yale: Helms, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis.

1884

Princeton: Parke Davis*
Yale: Helms, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

Major Selectors With Most Active Seasons



National Poll Rankings

National Champion Major Selectors (1869 to Present)

Selector	Selection Format	Active Seasons First	Active Seasons Last	Predicted Seasons	Total Ranking
Frank Dickinson	Math	1926	1940	15	1924-25
Duke Houlgate	Math	1927	1958	32	1865-1926
Dick Dunkel	Math	1929	1994	66	
William Boand	Math	1930	1960	31	1919-29
Paul Williamson	Math	1932	1963	32	
Parke Davis	Research	1933	1933	1	1869-1932
Edward Linkenhous	Math	1934	1984	51	1924-34
Richard Poling	Math	1935	1984	50	
Associated Press	Math	1936	1994	59	
Berryman	Math	1940	1994	55	
Helms Athletic Foundation	Math	1941	1982	42	1883-1940
Harry DeVold	Math	1945	1994	50	1939-44
United Press International	Math	1950	1994	45	
Football Writers Association	Math	1954	1994	41	
Sagorin	Math	1956	1994	39	
Football News	Math	1958	1994	37	
National Football Foundation	Math	1959	1990	32	
Billingsley	Math	1960	1994	35	
Herman Matthews	Math	1966	1994	28	
FACT	Math	1968	1994	27	
Sporting News	Math	1975	1994	20	
New York Times	Math	1979	1994	16	
National Championship Foundation	Math	1980	1994	15	1869-1979
Sports Illustrated	Math	1981	1994	14	
College Football Researchers Association	Math	1982	1992	11	1919-81
USA Today/CNN	Math	1982	1994	13	
UPI/National Football Foundation	Math	1991	1992	2	
USA Today/National Football Foundation	Math	1992	1994	3	
Alderson	Math	1994	1994	1	

1885

Princeton: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1886

Princeton: Parke Davis*
Yale: Helms, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1887

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1888

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1889

Princeton: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1890

Harvard: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1891

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1892

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1893

Princeton: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation
Yale: Parke Davis

1894

Pennsylvania: Parke Davis*
Princeton: Houlgate
Yale: Helms, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1895

Pennsylvania: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Yale: Parke Davis*

1896

Lafayette: National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*
Princeton: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*

1897

Pennsylvania: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Yale: Parke Davis*

1898

Harvard: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation
Princeton: Parke Davis

1899

Harvard: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation
Princeton: Parke Davis

1900

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1901

Michigan: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation
Yale: Parke Davis

1902

Michigan: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Yale: Parke Davis*

1903

Michigan: National Championship Foundation*
Princeton: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis

1904

Michigan: National Championship Foundation*
Pennsylvania: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis

1905

Chicago: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation
Yale: Parke Davis

1906

Princeton: Helms, National Championship Foundation
Yale: Parke Davis

1907

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1908

LSU: National Championship Foundation*
Pennsylvania: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis

1909

Yale: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis

1910

Harvard: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*
Pittsburgh: National Championship Foundation*

1911

Penn St.: National Championship Foundation*
Princeton: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis

1912

Harvard: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis
Penn St.: National Championship Foundation*

1913

Chicago: Parke Davis*
Harvard: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1914

Army: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Illinois: Parke Davis*

1915

Cornell: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Pittsburgh: Parke Davis*

1916

Army: Parke Davis*
Pittsburgh: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*

1917

Georgia Tech: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation

1918

Michigan: National Championship Foundation*
Pittsburgh: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*

1919

Harvard: Football Research*, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*
Illinois: Board, Football Research*, Parke Davis*
Notre Dame: National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*

1920

California: Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation
Harvard: Board*
Notre Dame: Parke Davis*
Princeton: Board*, Parke Davis*

1921

California: Board*, Football Research
Cornell: Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Iowa: Parke Davis*
Lafayette: Board*, Parke Davis*
Wash. & Jeff.: Board*

1922

California: Houlgate, National Championship Foundation*
Cornell: Helms, Parke Davis*
Princeton: Board, Football Research, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis*

1923

California: Houlgate
Illinois: Board, Football Research, Helms, National Championship Foundation*, Parke Davis
Michigan: National Championship Foundation*

1924

Notre Dame: Board, Dickinson, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Pennsylvania: Parke Davis

1925

Alabama: Board, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Dartmouth: Dickinson, Parke Davis

1926

Alabama: Football Research, Helms*, National Championship Foundation*, Poling
Lafayette: Parke Davis
Navy: Board, Houlgate
Stanford: Dickinson, Helms*, National Championship Foundation*

1927

Georgia: Board, Poling
Illinois: Dickinson, Helms, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis
Notre Dame: Houlgate
Yale: Football Research

1928

Detroit: Parke Davis*
Georgia Tech: Board, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Poling
Southern Cal: Dickinson

1929

Notre Dame: Board, Dickinson, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Pittsburgh: Parke Davis
Southern Cal: Houlgate

1930

Alabama: Football Research, Parke Davis*
Notre Dame: Board, Dickinson, Dunkel, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parke Davis*
Poling

1931

Pittsburgh: Parke Davis*
Purdue: Parke Davis*
Southern Cal: Board, Dickinson, Dunkel, Helms, Houlgate, Football Research, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson

1932

Colgate: Parke Davis*
Michigan: Dickinson, Parke Davis*

Southern Cal: Boand, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Parks Davis*, Poling, Williamson

1933

Michigan: Boand, Dickinson, Helms, Houlgate, Football Research, National Championship Foundation, Parks Davis*, Poling
Ohio St.: Dunkel
Princeton: Parks Davis*
Southern Cal: Williamson

1934

Alabama: Dunkel, Houlgate, Poling, Williamson
Minnesota: Boand, Dickinson, Football Research, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation

1935

LSU: Williamson
Minnesota: Boand, Football Research, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Princeton: Dunkel
Southern Methodist: Dickinson, Houlgate

1936

LSU: Williamson
Minnesota: AP, Dickinson, Dunkel, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Pittsburgh: Boand, Football Research, Houlgate

1937

California: Dunkel, Helms
Pittsburgh: AP, Boand, Dickinson, Football Research, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson

1938

Notre Dame: Dickinson
Tennessee: Boand, Dunkel, Football Research, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, Poling
Texas Christian: AP, Helms, National Championship Foundation, Williamson

1939

Cornell: Utkenhaus
Southern Cal: Dickinson
Texas A&M: AP, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson

1940

Minnesota: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dickinson, Football Research, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation
Stanford: Helms, Poling
Tennessee: Dunkel, Williamson

1941

Alabama: Houlgate
Minnesota: AP, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Texas: Berryman, Williamson

1942

Georgia: Berryman, DeVold, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, Poling, Williamson
Ohio St.: AP, Boand, Dunkel, Football Research, National Championship Foundation
Wisconsin: Helms

1943

Notre Dame: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson

1944

Army: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation*, Poling, Williamson
Ohio St.: National Championship Foundation*

1945

Alabama: National Championship Foundation*

Army: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation*, Poling, Williamson

1946

Army: Boand*, Football Research, Helms*, Houlgate, Poling*
Georgia: Williamson
Notre Dame: AP, Berryman, Boand*, DeVold, Dunkel, Helms*, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling*

1947

Michigan: Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms*, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Notre Dame: AP, Helms*, Williamson

1948

Michigan: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson

1949

Notre Dame: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Helms, Houlgate, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson
Oklahoma: Football Research

1950

Oklahoma: AP, Berryman, Helms, Utkenhaus, UPI, Williamson
Princeton: Boand, Poling
Tennessee: DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, National Championship Foundation

1951

Georgia Tech: Berryman, Boand*
Illinois: Boand*
Maryland: DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, National Championship Foundation
Michigan St.: Helms, Poling
Tennessee: AP, Utkenhaus, UPI, Williamson

1952

Georgia Tech: Berryman, Poling
Michigan St.: AP, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, UPI, Williamson

1953

Maryland: AP, UPI
Notre Dame: Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson
Oklahoma: Berryman, Football Research

1954

Ohio St.: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Football Research*, Helms*, National Championship Foundation*, Poling, Williamson
UCLA: Dunkel, Football Research*, FW, Helms*, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation*, UPI

1955

Michigan St.: Boand
Oklahoma: AP, Berryman, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, FW, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, UPI, Williamson

1956

Georgia Tech: Berryman
Iowa: Football Research
Oklahoma: AP, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, FW, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, UPI, Williamson
Tennessee: Sagarin

1957

Auburn: AP, Football Research, Helms, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Williamson
Michigan St.: Dunkel
Ohio St.: Boand, DeVold, FW, Utkenhaus, UPI
Oklahoma: Berryman, Sagarin

1958

Iowa: FW, Sagarin
LSU: AP, Berryman, Boand, DeVold, Dunkel, FB News, Football Research, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, UPI, Williamson

1959

Mississippi: Berryman, Dunkel, Sagarin
Syracuse: AP, Boand, DeVold, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, UPI, Williamson

1960

Iowa: Berryman, Billingsley, Boand, Utkenhaus, Sagarin
Minnesota: AP, FB News, NFF, UPI
Mississippi: DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, FW, National Championship Foundation, Williamson
Missouri: Poling
Washington: Helms

1961

Alabama: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FB News, Football Research, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, NFF, UPI, Williamson
Ohio St.: FW, Poling
Texas: Sagarin

1962

Alabama: Billingsley, Sagarin
LSU: Berryman*
Southern Cal: AP, Berryman*, DeVold, Dunkel, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, UPI, Williamson
Texas: Utkenhaus

1963

Texas: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, UPI, Williamson

1964

Alabama: AP, Berryman, Utkenhaus, UPI
Arkansas: Billingsley, Football Research, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation, Poling
Michigan: Dunkel
Notre Dame: DeVold, FB News, NFF, Sagarin

1965

Alabama: AP, Billingsley, Football Research, FW*, National Championship Foundation
Michigan St.: Berryman, DeVold, Dunkel, FB News, FW*, Helms, Utkenhaus, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, UPI

1966

Alabama: Berryman
Michigan St.: Football Research, Helms*, NFF*, Poling*
Notre Dame: AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FB News, FW, Helms*, Utkenhaus, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF*, Poling*, Sagarin, UPI

1967

Notre Dame: Dunkel
Oklahoma: Poling
Southern Cal: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Sagarin, UPI
Tennessee: Utkenhaus

1968

Georgia: Utkenhaus
Ohio St.: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, Dunkel, FACT, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, UPI
Texas: DeVold, Matthews, Sagarin

1969

Ohio St.: Matthews
Penn St.: FACT*
Texas: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Utkenhaus, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, UPI

1970

Arizona St.: Poling
Nebraska: AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation
Notre Dame: FACT*, Matthews, Sagarin
Ohio St.: NFF*
Texas: Berryman, FACT*, Littenhaus, NFF*, UPI

1971

Nebraska: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Littenhaus, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, UPI

1972

Southern Cal: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Littenhaus, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, UPI

1973

Alabama: Berryman, UPI
Michigan: National Championship Foundation*, Poling*
Notre Dame: AP, FB News, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation*, NFF
Ohio St.: FACT*, National Championship Foundation*, Poling*, Sagarin
Oklahoma: Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research

1974

Ohio St.: Matthews
Oklahoma: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, Helms*, Littenhaus, National Championship Foundation, Poling, Sagarin
Southern Cal: FW, Helms*, NFF, UPI

1975

Alabama: Matthews*
Arizona St.: National Championship Foundation*, Sporting News
Ohio St.: Berryman, FACT*, Helms*, Matthews*, Poling*
Oklahoma: AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms*, National Championship Foundation*, NFF, Sagarin, UPI

1976

Pittsburgh: AP, FACT*, FB News, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, Sporting News, UPI
Southern Cal: Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, Matthews

1977

Alabama: Football Research*
Arkansas: FACT*
Notre Dame: AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research*, FW, Helms, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sagarin, Sporting News, UPI
Texas: Berryman, FACT*

1978

Alabama: AP, FACT*, Football Research, FW, Helms*, National Championship Foundation, NFF
Oklahoma: Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, Helms*, Littenhaus, Matthews, Poling, Sagarin
Southern Cal: Berryman, FACT*, FB News, Helms*, Sporting News, UPI

1979

Alabama: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, FW, Helms, Matthews, National Cham-

pionship Foundation, NFF, NY Times, Poling, Sagarin, Sporting News, UPI
Southern Cal: Football Research

1980

Florida St.: FACT*
Georgia: AP, Berryman, FACT*, FB News, FW, Helms, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sporting News, UPI
Nebraska: FACT*, Sagarin
Oklahoma: Billingsley, Dunkel, Matthews
Pittsburgh: DeVold, FACT*, Football Research, NY Times

1981

Clemson: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms, Littenhaus, Matthews, National Championship Foundation*, NFF, NY Times, Poling, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI
Nebraska: National Championship Foundation*
Penn St.: Dunkel, Sagarin
Pittsburgh: National Championship Foundation*
Texas: National Championship Foundation*

1982

Nebraska: Berryman
Penn St.: AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Helms*, Littenhaus, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, NY Times, Poling, Sagarin, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN

1983

Auburn: FACT*, Football Research, NY Times
Miami (Fl.): AP, Billingsley, Dunkel, FB News, FW, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN
Nebraska: Berryman, DeVold, FACT*, Littenhaus, Matthews, Poling, Sagarin

1984

Brigham Young: AP, Football Research, FW, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Poling, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN
Florida: Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, Matthews, NY Times, Sagarin, Sporting News
Nebraska: Littenhaus
Washington: Berryman, FB News

1985

Michigan: Matthews, Sagarin
Oklahoma: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, National Championship Foundation, NFF, NY Times, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN

1986

Miami (Fl.): FACT*
Oklahoma: Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, Football Research, NY Times, Sagarin
Penn St.: AP, FACT*, FB News, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN

1987

Florida St.: Berryman, Sagarin
Miami (Fl.): AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, NY Times, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN

1988

Miami (Fl.): Berryman, Sagarin
Notre Dame: AP, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB

News, Football Research, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, NY Times, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN

1989

Florida St.: Billingsley
Miami (Fl.): AP, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NFF, NY Times, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN
Notre Dame: Berryman, FACT*, Sagarin

1990

Colorado: AP, Berryman, DeVold, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation*, NFF, Sporting News, Sports Ill., USA/CNN
Georgia Tech: Dunkel, FACT*, National Championship Foundation*, UPI
Miami (Fl.): Billingsley, FACT*, NY Times, Sagarin
Washington: FACT*

1991

Miami (Fl.): AP, Football Research, National Championship Foundation*, NY Times, Sporting News
Washington: Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation*, Sagarin, Sports Ill., UPI/NFF, USA/CNN

1992

Alabama: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, Matthews, National Championship Foundation, NY Times, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI/NFF, USA/CNN
Florida St.: Sagarin

1993

Auburn: National Championship Foundation*
Florida St.: AP, Berryman, Billingsley, DeVold, Dunkel, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, National Championship Foundation*, NY Times, Sagarin, Sports Ill., USA/CNN, USA/NFF
Nebraska: National Championship Foundation*
Notre Dame: Matthews, National Championship Foundation*

1994

Florida St.: Dunkel
Nebraska: Alderson, AP, Berryman, FACT*, FB News, Football Research, FW, National Championship Foundation*, Sporting News, Sports Ill., UPI, USA/CNN, USA/NFF
Penn St.: Billingsley, DeVold, FACT*, Matthews, National Championship Foundation*, NY Times, Sagarin

Legend of Present Major Selections: Associated Press (AP) from 1950-present; United Press International (UPI) from 1950-90; United Press, 1950-57; UPI from 1957-90; Writers Association of America (WAA) from 1954-present; National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame (NFF) from 1959-90; USA Today/Cable News International Network from 1991-92; USA Today/National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame (USA/NFF) from 1993. The Associated Press has been the designated media poll since 1950. United Press International served as the coaches' poll from 1950-1991 when it was taken over by USA Today/Cable News Network. In 1991-92, the No. 1 team in the final UPI poll ratings received the MacArthur Bowl as the national champion by the NFF. Beginning in 1992, the No. 1 team in the USA Today/NFF final poll received the MacArthur Bowl.

Consensus National Champions in Bowl Games

Year	Team	Coach (Years)	Record	Bowl (Result)
1950	Yale	Malcolm McBride	12-0	None
1951	Michigan	Fielding Yost	11-0	Rose (beat Stanford, 49-0)
1952	Michigan	Fielding Yost	11-0	None
1953	Princeton	Art Hilebrand	11-0	None
1954	Pennsylvania	Carl Williams	12-0	None
1955	Chicago	Amos Alonzo Stagg	11-0	None
1956	Princeton	Bill Raper	9-0	None
1957	Yale	William Knox	9-0	None
1958	Pennsylvania	Sol Metzger	11-0	None
1959	Yale	Howard Jones	10-0	None
1960	Harvard	Percy Houghton	8-0	None
1961	Princeton	Bill Raper	8-0	None
1962	Harvard	Percy Houghton	9-0	None
1963	Harvard	Percy Houghton	9-0	None
1964	Army	Charley Daly	9-0	None
1965	Cornell	Al Sharpe	8-0	None
1966	Pittsburgh	Glenn "Pop" Warner	8-0	None
1967	Georgia Tech	John Heisman	9-0	None
1968	Pittsburgh	Glenn "Pop" Warner	4-10	None
1969	Harvard	Robert Fisher	9-0	Rose (beat Oregon, 7-6)
1970	California	Andy Smith	9-0	Rose (beat Ohio St., 28-0)
1971	Cornell	Gil Dobie	8-0	None
1972	Cornell	Gil Dobie	8-0	None
1973	Illinois	Robert Zuppke	8-0	None
1974	Notre Dame	Krute Rockne	10-0	Rose (beat Stanford, 27-10)
1975	Alabama	Wallace Wade	10-0	Rose (beat Washington, 20-19)
1976	Dartmouth	Jesse Hawley	8-0	None
1977	Alabama	Wallace Wade	9-0	Rose (beat Stanford, 7-7)
1978	Stanford	Glenn "Pop" Warner	10-0	Rose (beat Alabama, 7-7)
1979	Georgia Tech	Robert Zuppke	7-0	None
1980	Southern Cal	Bill Alexander	10-0	Rose (beat California, 8-7)
1981	Notre Dame	Howard Jones	9-0	None
1982	Notre Dame	Krute Rockne	9-0	None
1983	Notre Dame	Krute Rockne	10-0	None
1984	Southern Cal	Howard Jones	9-0	Rose (beat Tulane, 21-12)
1985	Michigan	Harry Kipke	8-0	None
1986	Southern Cal	Howard Jones	10-0	Rose (beat Pittsburgh, 35-0)
1987	Michigan	Harry Kipke	7-0	None
1988	Minnesota	Bernie Bierman	8-0	None
1989	Minnesota	Bernie Bierman	8-0	None
1990	Southern Methodist	Marty Bell	12-1	Rose (beat Stanford, 6-7)
1991	Minnesota	Bernie Bierman (5-1)	7-1	None
1992	Pittsburgh	Jack Sutherland (13-18)	9-0	None
1993	Texas Christian	Dutch Meyer (5-5)	11-0	Sugar (beat Carnegie Mellon, 15-7)
1994	Texas A&M	Homer Norton (6-16)	11-0	Sugar (beat Tulane, 14-13)
1995	Minnesota	Bernie Bierman (9-1)	8-0	None
1996	Minnesota	Bernie Bierman (10-20)	8-0	None
1997	Ohio St.	Paul Brown (2-2)	9-1	None
1998	Notre Dame	Frank Leahy (3-5)	9-0	None
1999	Army	Earl "Red" Blaik (4-11)	9-0	None
2000	Army	Earl "Red" Blaik (5-12)	9-0	None
2001	Notre Dame	Frank Leahy (4-6)	9-0	None
2002	Notre Dame	Frank Leahy (5-7)	9-0	None
2003	Michigan	Bernie Bierman (1-1)	9-0	None
2004	Notre Dame	Frank Leahy (7-9)	10-0	None
2005	Oklahoma	Bud Wilkinson (4-4)	10-1	Sugar (lost to Kentucky, 7-13)
2006	Tennessee	Robert Neyland (20-20)	10-0	Sugar (lost to Maryland, 13-28)
2007	Michigan St.	Clarence "Babe" Munn (6-9)	9-0	None
2008	Maryland	Jim Tatum (7-9)	10-1	Orange (lost to Oklahoma, 0-7)
2009	Ohio St.	Woody Hayes (4-9)	10-0	Rose (beat Southern Cal, 20-7)
2010	UCLA	Red Sanders (6-12)	9-0	None
2011	Oklahoma	Bud Wilkinson (9-9)	11-0	Orange (beat Maryland, 20-6)
2012	Oklahoma	Bud Wilkinson (10-10)	10-0	None
2013	Auburn	Ralph "Shug" Jordan (7-7)	10-0	None
2014	Ohio St.	Woody Hayes (7-12)	9-1	Rose (beat Oregon, 10-7)
2015	USU	Paul Dietzel (4-4)	11-0	Sugar (beat Clemson, 7-0)
2016	Iowa	Forest Evashevski (5-8)	8-1	Rose (beat California, 38-12)
2017	Syracuse	Ben Schwartzwalder (11-14)	11-0	Cotton (beat Texas, 23-14)
2018	Minnesota	Murray Warmath (7-9)	8-2	Rose (lost to Washington, 7-17)
2019	Mississippi	Johnny Vaughn (14-14)	10-1	Sugar (beat Rice, 14-6)
2020	Alabama	Paul "Bear" Bryant (4-17)	11-0	Sugar (beat Arkansas, 10-3)
2021	Ohio St.	Woody Hayes (11-16)	8-0	None
2022	Southern Cal	John McKay (3-3)	11-0	Rose (beat Wisconsin, 42-37)
2023	Texas	Danell Royal (7-10)	11-0	Cotton (beat Navy, 28-6)
2024	Alabama	Paul "Bear" Bryant (7-20)	10-1	Orange (lost to Texas, 17-21)
2025	Arkansas	Frank Broyles (3-4)	11-0	Cotton (beat Nebraska, 10-7)
2026	Notre Dame	Art Pasaghi (1-14)	9-1	None

"TOUGH DUTY"
Most Bowl-Game Appearances
Against Consensus National Champions

Nebraska (7)	●●●●●●●
Notre Dame (5)	●●●●●
Stanford (5)	●●●●●
Alabama (4)	●●●●
Miami (Fl.) (3)	●●●
Michigan (3)	●●●
Ohio St. (3)	●●●
Texas (3)	●●●



Nebraska running back Lawrence Phillips ran for 1,722 yards last season to help the Huskers to the No. 1 ranking in most major polls at the end of the regular season. Nebraska went on to beat Miami (Florida), 24-17, in the Orange Bowl to seal the mythical national championship.

Associated Press Weekly Poll Leaders

The weekly dates are for Tuesday, the most frequent release date of the poll, except when the final poll was taken after January 1-2 bowl games. A team's record includes its last game before the weekly poll. A new weekly leader's rank the previous week is indicated in parentheses after its record. Final poll leaders (annual champions) are in bold face. (Note: Only 10 teams were ranked in the weekly polls during 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966 and 1967; 20 were ranked in all other seasons until 1989, when 25 were ranked.)

Year	Team	Record
1936	Minnesota	(3-0)
1937	California	(5-0)
1938	Pittsburgh	(9-0-1)
1939	Pittsburgh	(10-0)
1940	Camell	(2-0)
1941	Camell	(3-0)
1942	Camell	(4-0)
1943	Camell	(5-0)
1944	Camell	(6-0)
1945	Camell	(7-0)
1946	Camell	(8-0)
1947	Camell	(9-0)
1948	Camell	(10-0)
1949	Camell	(11-0)
1950	Camell	(12-0)
1951	Camell	(13-0)
1952	Camell	(14-0)
1953	Camell	(15-0)
1954	Camell	(16-0)
1955	Camell	(17-0)
1956	Camell	(18-0)
1957	Camell	(19-0)
1958	Camell	(20-0)
1959	Camell	(21-0)
1960	Camell	(22-0)
1961	Camell	(23-0)
1962	Camell	(24-0)
1963	Camell	(25-0)
1964	Camell	(26-0)
1965	Camell	(27-0)
1966	Camell	(28-0)
1967	Camell	(29-0)
1968	Camell	(30-0)
1969	Camell	(31-0)
1970	Camell	(32-0)
1971	Camell	(33-0)
1972	Camell	(34-0)
1973	Camell	(35-0)
1974	Camell	(36-0)
1975	Camell	(37-0)
1976	Camell	(38-0)
1977	Camell	(39-0)
1978	Camell	(40-0)
1979	Camell	(41-0)
1980	Camell	(42-0)
1981	Camell	(43-0)
1982	Camell	(44-0)
1983	Camell	(45-0)
1984	Camell	(46-0)
1985	Camell	(47-0)
1986	Camell	(48-0)
1987	Camell	(49-0)
1988	Camell	(50-0)
1989	Camell	(51-0)
1990	Camell	(52-0)
1991	Camell	(53-0)
1992	Camell	(54-0)
1993	Camell	(55-0)
1994	Camell	(56-0)
1995	Camell	(57-0)
1996	Camell	(58-0)
1997	Camell	(59-0)
1998	Camell	(60-0)
1999	Camell	(61-0)
2000	Camell	(62-0)
2001	Camell	(63-0)
2002	Camell	(64-0)
2003	Camell	(65-0)
2004	Camell	(66-0)
2005	Camell	(67-0)
2006	Camell	(68-0)
2007	Camell	(69-0)
2008	Camell	(70-0)
2009	Camell	(71-0)
2010	Camell	(72-0)
2011	Camell	(73-0)
2012	Camell	(74-0)
2013	Camell	(75-0)
2014	Camell	(76-0)
2015	Camell	(77-0)
2016	Camell	(78-0)
2017	Camell	(79-0)
2018	Camell	(80-0)
2019	Camell	(81-0)
2020	Camell	(82-0)
2021	Camell	(83-0)
2022	Camell	(84-0)

Year	Team	Coch (Years)	Record	Bowl (Result)
1965	Alabama	Paul "Bear" Bryant (8-2)	9-1-1	Orange (beat Nebraska, 34-10)
1966	Michigan St.	Duffy Daugherty (12-12)	10-1-0	Rice (beat to UCLA, 13-14)
1967	Michigan St.	Duffy Daugherty (13-13)	9-0-1	None
1968	Notre Dame	Ara Parseghian (3-17)	9-0-1	None
1969	Ohio St.	John McKay (8-8)	10-1-0	Rice (beat Indiana, 14-0)
1970	Texas	Woody Hayes (18-23)	10-0-0	Rice (beat Southern Cal, 20-13)
1971	Nebraska	Darrell Royal (13-16)	11-0-0	Cotton (beat Notre Dame, 21-14)
1972	Nebraska	Bob Devaney (9-14)	11-0-1	Orange (beat LSU, 17-12)
1973	Nebraska	Woody Hayes (20-25)	9-1-0	Rice (beat to Stanford, 17-12)
1974	Nebraska	Darrell Royal (14-17)	10-1-0	Cotton (beat to Notre Dame, 17-12)
1975	Nebraska	Bob Devaney (10-15)	10-0-0	Orange (beat Alabama, 26-0)
1976	Nebraska	John McKay (13-13)	12-0-0	Rice (beat Ohio St., 43-17)
1977	Nebraska	Paul "Bear" Bryant (16-29)	11-1-0	Sugar (beat to Notre Dame, 20-14)
1978	Nebraska	Ara Parseghian (10-23)	11-0-0	Sugar (beat Alabama, 24-20)
1979	Nebraska	Barry Switzer (2-2)	11-0-0	None
1980	Nebraska	John McKay (15-15)	10-1-1	Rice (beat Ohio St., 18-17)
1981	Nebraska	Barry Switzer (3-3)	11-1-0	Orange (beat Michigan, 14-0)
1982	Nebraska	Johnny Majors (4-9)	12-0-0	Sugar (beat Georgia, 20-13)
1983	Nebraska	Dan Devine (3-19)	11-1-0	Cotton (beat Texas, 28-10)
1984	Nebraska	Paul "Bear" Bryant (21-34)	11-1-0	Sugar (beat Penn St., 14-7)
1985	Nebraska	John Robinson (3-3)	12-1-0	Rice (beat Michigan, 17-13)
1986	Nebraska	Paul "Bear" Bryant (22-35)	12-0-0	Sugar (beat Arkansas, 24-0)
1987	Nebraska	Vince Dooley (17-17)	12-0-0	Sugar (beat Notre Dame, 17-12)
1988	Nebraska	Danny Ford (4-4)	12-0-0	Orange (beat Nebraska, 20-13)
1989	Nebraska	Joe Paterno (17-17)	11-1-0	Sugar (beat Georgia, 27-20)
1990	Nebraska	Howard Schnellenberger (5-5)	11-1-0	Orange (beat Nebraska, 24-14)
1991	Nebraska	LaVell Edwards (13-13)	13-0-0	Holiday (beat Michigan, 24-17)
1992	Nebraska	Barry Switzer (13-13)	11-1-0	Orange (beat Penn St., 25-10)
1993	Nebraska	Joe Paterno (21-21)	12-0-0	Fiesta (beat Miami, 16-13)
1994	Nebraska	Jimmy Johnson (3-9)	12-0-0	Orange (beat Oklahoma, 20-14)
1995	Nebraska	Low Holtz (3-19)	12-0-0	Fiesta (beat West Va., 34-21)
1996	Nebraska	Dennis Erickson (1-8)	11-1-0	Sugar (beat Alabama, 33-20)
1997	Nebraska	Bill McCartney (9-9)	11-1-1	Orange (beat Notre Dame, 10-0)
1998	Nebraska	Bobby Ross (4-14)	11-0-1	No. Citrus (beat Nebraska, 42-17)
1999	Nebraska	Dennis Erickson (3-10)	12-0-0	Orange (beat Nebraska, 22-0)
2000	Nebraska	Dan James (17-21)	12-0-0	Rice (beat Michigan, 34-14)
2001	Nebraska	Gene Stallings (3-10)	13-0-0	Sugar (beat Miami, 16-13)
2002	Nebraska	Bobby Bowden (18-28)	12-1-0	Orange (beat Nebraska, 18-14)
2003	Nebraska	Tom Osborne (22-22)	13-0-0	Orange (beat Miami, 14-17)

† Years head coach at that college and total years at four-year colleges. Includes last game of 1978 season.

ASSOCIATED PRESS WEEKLY POLL LEADERS

Year	Team	Record
1942	Army	(5-0)
1943	Army	(6-0)
1944	Army	(7-0)
1945	Army	(8-0)
1946	Army	(9-0)
1947	Army	(10-0)
1948	Army	(11-0)
1949	Army	(12-0)
1950	Army	(13-0)
1951	Army	(14-0)
1952	Army	(15-0)
1953	Army	(16-0)
1954	Army	(17-0)
1955	Army	(18-0)
1956	Army	(19-0)
1957	Army	(20-0)
1958	Army	(21-0)
1959	Army	(22-0)
1960	Army	(23-0)
1961	Army	(24-0)
1962	Army	(25-0)
1963	Army	(26-0)
1964	Army	(27-0)
1965	Army	(28-0)
1966	Army	(29-0)
1967	Army	(30-0)
1968	Army	(31-0)
1969	Army	(32-0)
1970	Army	(33-0)
1971	Army	(34-0)
1972	Army	(35-0)
1973	Army	(36-0)
1974	Army	(37-0)
1975	Army	(38-0)
1976	Army	(39-0)
1977	Army	(40-0)
1978	Army	(41-0)
1979	Army	(42-0)
1980	Army	(43-0)
1981	Army	(44-0)
1982	Army	(45-0)
1983	Army	(46-0)
1984	Army	(47-0)
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2004	Army	(67-0)
2005	Army	(68-0)
2006	Army	(69-0)
2007	Army	(70-0)
2008	Army	(71-0)
2009	Army	(72-0)
2010	Army	(73-0)
2011	Army	(74-0)
2012	Army	(75-0)
2013	Army	(76-0)
2014	Army	(77-0)
2015	Army	(78-0)
2016	Army	(79-0)
2017	Army	(80-0)
2018	Army	(81-0)
2019	Army	(82-0)
2020	Army	(83-0)
2021	Army	(84-0)
2022	Army	(85-0)

Year	Team	Record
1942	Notre Dame	(8-0-1) (2)
1943	Notre Dame	(9-0-1) (2)
1944	Notre Dame	(10-0-1) (2)
1945	Notre Dame	(11-0-1) (2)
1946	Notre Dame	(12-0-1) (2)
1947	Notre Dame	(13-0-1) (2)
1948	Notre Dame	(14-0-1) (2)
1949	Notre Dame	(15-0-1) (2)
1950	Notre Dame	(16-0-1) (2)
1951	Notre Dame	(17-0-1) (2)
1952	Notre Dame	(18-0-1) (2)
1953	Notre Dame	(19-0-1) (2)
1954	Notre Dame	(20-0-1) (2)
1955	Notre Dame	(21-0-1) (2)
1956	Notre Dame	(22-0-1) (2)
1957	Notre Dame	(23-0-1) (2)
1958	Notre Dame	(24-0-1) (2)
1959	Notre Dame	(25-0-1) (2)
1960	Notre Dame	(26-0-1) (2)
1961	Notre Dame	(27-0-1) (2)
1962	Notre Dame	(28-0-1) (2)
1963	Notre Dame	(29-0-1) (2)
1964	Notre Dame	(30-0-1) (2)
1965	Notre Dame	(31-0-1) (2)
1966	Notre Dame	(32-0-1) (2)
1967	Notre Dame	(33-0-1) (2)
1968	Notre Dame	(34-0-1) (2)
1969	Notre Dame	(35-0-1) (2)
1970	Notre Dame	(36-0-1) (2)
1971	Notre Dame	(37-0-1) (2)
1972	Notre Dame	(38-0-1) (2)
1973	Notre Dame	(39-0-1) (2)
1974	Notre Dame	(40-0-1) (2)
1975	Notre Dame	(41-0-1) (2)
1976	Notre Dame	(42-0-1) (2)
1977	Notre Dame	(43-0-1) (2)
1978	Notre Dame	(44-0-1) (2)
1979	Notre Dame	(45-0-1) (2)
1980	Notre Dame	(46-0-1) (2)
1981	Notre Dame	(47-0-1) (2)
1982	Notre Dame	(48-0-1) (2)
1983	Notre Dame	(49-0-1) (2)
1984	Notre Dame	(50-0-1) (2)
1985	Notre Dame	(51-0-1) (2)
1986	Notre Dame	(52-0-1) (2)
1987	Notre Dame	(53-0-1) (2)
1988	Notre Dame	(54-0-1) (2)
1989	Notre Dame	(55-0-1) (2)
1990	Notre Dame	(56-0-1) (2)
1991	Notre Dame	(57-0-1) (2)
1992	Notre Dame	(58-0-1) (2)
1993	Notre Dame	(59-0-1) (2)
1994	Notre Dame	(60-0-1) (2)
1995	Notre Dame	(61-0-1) (2)
1996	Notre Dame	(62-0-1) (2)
1997	Notre Dame	(63-0-1) (2)
1998	Notre Dame	(64-0-1) (2)
1999	Notre Dame	(65-0-1) (2)
2000	Notre Dame	(66-0-1) (2)
2001	Notre Dame	(67-0-1) (2)
2002	Notre Dame	(68-0-1) (2)
2003	Notre Dame	(69-0-1) (2)
2004	Notre Dame	(70-0-1) (2)
2005	Notre Dame	(71-0-1) (2)
2006	Notre Dame	(72-0-1) (2)
2007	Notre Dame	(73-0-1) (2)
2008	Notre Dame	(74-0-1) (2)
2009	Notre Dame	(75-0-1) (2)
2010	Notre Dame	(76-0-1) (2)
2011	Notre Dame	(77-0-1) (2)
2012	Notre Dame	(78-0-1) (2)
2013	Notre Dame	(79-0-1) (2)
2014	Notre Dame	(80-0-1) (2)
2015	Notre Dame	(81-0-1) (2)
2016	Notre Dame	(82-0-1) (2)
2017	Notre Dame	(83-0-1) (2)
2018	Notre Dame	(84-0-1) (2)
2019	Notre Dame	(85-0-1) (2)
2020	Notre Dame	(86-0-1) (2)
2021	Notre Dame	(87-0-1) (2)
2022	Notre Dame	(88-0-1) (2)

Year	Team	Record
1942	Alabama	(8-1-0) (4)
1943	Alabama	(9-1-0) (4)
1944	Alabama	(10-1-0) (4)
1945	Alabama	(11-1-0) (4)
1946	Alabama	(12-1-0) (4)
1947	Alabama	(13-1-0) (4)
1948	Alabama	(14-1-0) (4)
1949	Alabama	(15-1-0) (4)
1950	Alabama	(16-1-0) (4)
1951	Alabama	(17-1-0) (4)
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1953	Alabama	(19-1-0) (4)
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1955	Alabama	(21-1-0) (4)
1956	Alabama	(22-1-0) (4)
1957	Alabama	(23-1-0) (4)
1958	Alabama	(24-1-0) (4)
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1965	Alabama	(31-1-0) (4)
1966	Alabama	(32-1-0) (4)
1967	Alabama	(33-1-0) (4)
1968	Alabama	(34-1-0) (4)
1969	Alabama	(35-1-0) (4)